



THE CHURCH OF ST. GEORGE

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Parish Christmas 2018 “Wish List”

Dear Parishioner,

New this season here at St. George is the opportunity to purchase ‘items of interest’ for the parish that benefactors may wish to provide “*in memory of*” (deceased relative or friend), or “*in tribute to*” (living relative or friend) someone on their Christmas list. At times some parishioners inquire about whether there are some possibilities for them to donate to a special cause or purchase an item of interest to them and also of need within the parish. An effort was made to identify items that affect worship experiences, educational enhancements, or maintenance improvements. Often there are items that would be warmly welcomed, which are not found in the parish budget, that can be accommodated by the generous gifts from individuals within the parish who want to contribute something in particular, often at the time of a funeral.

To accommodate this request and to identify specific items of interest to the parish, a small group of parishioners has compiled with me a list of those items that may be of special interest to certain benefactors, who, in turn, may want to make one or more of their Christmas gifts this year in a different way — by donating an item to the church in honor of a particular person (living or deceased). Contributors, not wishing or able to pay the full amount, may opt to join with others in the purchase of a common gift. Any gifts from donors may be acknowledged publicly through the parish bulletin or remain anonymous per request. Some items may not be here at Christmas but will be ‘on order’ and subsequent contact will be made when the items arrive.

And so, beginning this year, I now announce that there is a St. George Christmas 2018 Wish List. On this list are found the following items below with pricing also listed.

I welcome yet another avenue of generosity from our parishioners who may choose to participate in this Parish Christmas Wish List as an alternative way of providing gifts for persons on their lists. Thank you for your consideration of this new and creative way to remember others and, in doing so, remembering St. George as well.

Gratefully in Christ,

Fr. Mark Juettner
Pastor

The Church of St. George Christmas Wish List

The parish wish list is an alternative way to present a gift to someone living (in tribute to) or deceased (in memory of) while supporting your parish in a significant way. The parish will provide a Christmas card acknowledgement for your recipient. All prices are approximations.

Tabernacle and wooden stand and canopy for chapel (already donated by anonymous donor)

Monstrance for chapel (already purchased by anonymous donors)

New crucifix for wall of chapel (already purchased by anonymous donor)

New sign "Chapel of the Divine Will" in Chapel \$500 (already here but donor welcome)

16 New Chairs for the Chapel \$300 for each chair, Chair with kneeler \$400

Pascal (Easter) Candle for main church \$200-\$400

Pascal candle stand for Chapel, \$1000

Pascal (Easter) Candle for Chapel \$100

2 Altar Candle Holders for Chapel

Sanctuary Light for new tabernacle in chapel \$400

Bronze Missal Stand for main altar in the church \$930

3 Chalice palls \$110 each

Gold plated baptismal shell \$100

Altar cloth \$450

Baptismal font for chapel \$2000 or more

DVR for church and social hall use

Projection Screen for church and social hall use

AED- first aid station

These items make not only great Christmas gifts but are also very appropriate for memorials at the time of funerals. Donating these items to the church is a wonderful way to honor loved ones, either living or deceased. A card acknowledging your gift is available for you to give to the person whom you are honoring. May the Lord bless you abundantly for your loving generosity!